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CEDAR CITY, UTAH - The Buckskin fire has burned 1437 acres, change is due to GPS mapping of the fire. The fire has reached 75% containment. Full containment is expected by this weekend.

The cause of this fire is still under investigation.

The power lines were reenergized earlier this morning.

Resources will start to be released tomorrow.

Even the weather has moderated and the temperatures have dropped, the fuels in Southern Utah are still extremely dry. Caution should be used by all those who are enjoying the public lands. When riding ATV's remember these tips: only park on barren soil, have a spark arrestor and make sure it is operational.

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